



# LAN Circle Wrap-up

June 27, 2023

**Labyrinth Activism: a spiritual practice using the labyrinth, heart centered intention and action for change.**

We welcomed 24 people to our circle on Tuesday. Karen Wenzel led our meditation with visuals that eventually brought us to the labyrinth together. It was beautiful!

## LLP Updates

- Chris: Watch for a sustained giving campaign next month. Saskatchewan was a great success!
- Tish: Book club-Power of Eight, July 11
- Johanna: Global Coherence Initiative reminder-taking place on 6/28 at 6:00 pm ET
- T-shirts: order your one-of-a-kind LAN T-shirts by [clicking here](#). They are long sleeve, extra soft and \$40 each (plus \$9.95 for shipping). The shirts come in gray or white, sizes M, L, XL. This is a “win-win” way to help support LLP and our LAN Circle!



## Inspiration

Dr. McGee: Haiti Project (**See all directions and links below**)

Dr. McGee couldn't be with us but wanted us to know the messages to the workers in Haiti have been very important. We can CONTINUE to walk and send messages. She is very grateful and will be with us next month to give us a complete update.

Background information: The violence in Haiti has become unbearable. Dr. McGee has been involved in humanitarian efforts for many years with Father Wismick and counselors who provide help to orphanages in the area. When they leave their homes to serve these children, their lives are in danger. Dr. McGee has asked us to walk the labyrinth with the intention provided and then send a note via the link provided. The counselors feel invisible, and we can show them they are in our hearts and seen. Feel free to walk more than once and send more than one message. To learn more about Dr. McGee's work in Haiti [click here](#). Thank you for opening your heart to this important project.

Saskatchewan Pilgrimage

We also heard from the folks who attended the Saskatchewan Pilgrimage. It was a wonderful experience that many are still “unpacking.” [Click here](#) to see a short video of pictures from the event.

## Small Groups

We broke into small groups to talk about future “communities of practice” that we could create within our circle. The idea is to begin to create groups focused on an intention that is interesting for a group of people. An example was brought forth by Frank Feine of supporting the LGBTQ community. Anna P talked about healing the heart of a community that could even include work with children. Perhaps the environment or a social issue is important to you. We will create leadership training and templates for those who want to lead these groups and bring people in from the labyrinth community and outside the labyrinth community. Lots to look forward to!

## Next Steps

- T-Shirt are available!! Order online or email Tisha at [tishaus08@yahoo.com](mailto:tishaus08@yahoo.com).
- Haiti Project Messages can continue!
- The next LAN Circle is July 25.
- The next Global Coherence Initiative is June 28
- LAN Book Club, "Power of Eight", July 11. RSVP to Tisha Strauch so you get the link. [tishaus08@yahoo.com](mailto:tishaus08@yahoo.com)

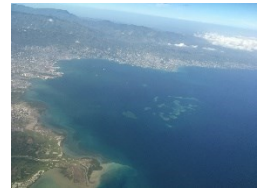
## Closing

### **GHR Q3 Arrive**

This next quarter is tricky. The focus is "Arrive." Do we know when we arrive? How can we be sure? Maybe we can't be sure. As Ralph Waldo Emerson said, "To finish the moment, to find the journey's end in every step of the road, to live the greatest number of good hours, is wisdom."

# LAN Haiti Project

- 1) LAN members will walk a labyrinth in heart centered coherence with the intention below.
- 2) Following their walk, LAN members will send messages of support electronically to Dr. McGee through Qualtrics. Photos can be sent via email to her address below.
- 3) Dr. McGee will download the messages and give them to Father Wismick to share with the counselors.



**Intention:** Fr. Wismick and the counselors, who are under his supervision in Haiti, will have an immediate and ongoing sense of care and support for the service they are providing to children in orphanages and schools.



**Link to send message:**

[https://baylor.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_4VCEALX7kD83zvM](https://baylor.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4VCEALX7kD83zvM)

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